

Version with Markings to Show Changes Made

In the Claims:

Claim 4 has been amended as set forth below:

4. The system of Claim [4] 1 wherein said means for identifying further comprises:

means for segmenting the image into a plurality of regions based on uniform image characteristics;

means for calculating a level of saliency for said plurality of regions, and

means for assigning a believe value to the pixels corresponding to said level of saliency.

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